

STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The pioneers of Minnesota's trucking industry organized the

Minnesota Trucking Association in 1932 to jointly work in the best

interests of the trucking industry in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Trucking Association, through its members, have

made significant contributions to the safety and efficiency of our highways, and have played a key role in industry advances, which

have enhanced the quality of life for all Minnesotans; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Trucking Association's Safety Council sponsors the

Minnesota Driver of the Month and Driver of the Year Program to recognize individual achievements for safe driving in the trucking

industry; and

WHEREAS: The 2012 "Minnesota Driver of the Year" banquet on January 26,

2012 will be recognizing several professionals of Minnesota's

trucking industry.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim January 22-28, 2012 to be:

MINNESOTA HIGHWAY SAFETY AWARENESS WEEK

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 6th day of January.

GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE